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## REQUEST FOR THREE (3) MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Please extend the time for response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2009 by three

(3) months, from May 11, 2009 to August 11, 2009. Payment in the amount of \$ 1,110.00 is
enclosed as payment for the fee. Authorization is hereby given to credit any overpayment or
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Respectfully Submitted, Narihiko TOGOU

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